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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Se-Youn Lim et al.

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FOR: METHOD OF CONTROLLING LOOP-BACK PROCESS IN  
ETHERNET PASSIVE OPTICAL NETWORK

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with Rule 115 of the Rules of Practice, please consider the following amendment and remarks.